

# Independence

March and April, 2008

National Park Service  
U.S. Department of the Interior  
Independence NHP  
143 S. Third Street  
Philadelphia, PA 19106

Independence Hall.....tour tickets required.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Beginning April 1, 2008 Friday-Sunday.....9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Free Tickets are available the morning of your visit at the Independence Visitor Center**

Access to the building is through security located at 5th and Chestnut Streets,

Please note - the security screening closes 15 minutes before Independence Hall closes for the evening

Liberty Bell Center.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Beginning April 1, 2008 Friday-Sunday.....9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

**Programs:**

*"Seeds to Suffrage: Women's American Revolution"* illustrated program; Saturdays in March at 3:30 (30 min)

*"Slavery and the Underground Railroad"* illustrated program; Saturdays in April at 3:30 (30 min)

*"The President's House in 18th Century Philadelphia"* illustrated program; Sundays in April at 3:30 (30 min)

Independence Visitor Center.....8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
America's National Park Museum Shop.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Carpenters' Hall.....open Tuesday-Sunday.....10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
The City Tavern.....opens at 11:30 a.m.  
Congress Hall.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Declaration House.....open Wednesday-Sunday.....11:00 a.m. - noon  
Deshler Morris House.....CLOSED FOR RENOVATIONS  
Edgar Allan Poe NHS.....open Wednesday-Sunday.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Franklin Court  
B. Free Franklin Post Office.....open Monday-Saturday.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Fragments of Franklin Court.....open Wednesday-Sunday.....1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Printing Office.....open Wednesday-Sunday.....11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Underground Museum.....11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Programs:**

*"Franklin Film Festival"* daily 11:15 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.

*"Franklin's Glass Music"* armonica demonstrations; daily at 12:00, 2:30 (15 min)

*"The Women of Franklin Court"* courtyard tour; weekends in March at 12:30 (20 minutes)

*"Hands on History"* children's program; weekends in April at 12:30 (20 minutes)

Free Quaker Meeting House.....open Wednesday-Sunday.....10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
The Great Essentials Exhibit in the West Wing of Independence Hall.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Independence Living History Museum.....open Monday-Friday.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
National Constitution Center (fee charged).....open Monday-Friday.....9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
open Saturday.....9:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
open Sunday.....Noon - 5:00 p.m.  
New Hall Military Museum.....open Wednesday-Sunday.....3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
Portrait Gallery in the Second Bank.....open Wednesday-Sunday.....11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Programs:**

*"Moses Williams: Cutter of Profiles Demonstration"* Wed-Sun at 2:00 (20 min)

*"Abigail Adams in Her Own Words"* interpretive program; Sundays in March at 3:30 (45 min)

Old City Hall.....9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Thaddeus Kosciuszko NM.....open Wednesday-Sunday.....Noon - 4:00 p.m.  
Todd and Bishop White House Tour.....Tickets are available at the Visitor Center Desk